#### DANNY CAMPAU'S FAST TEAM

press Car-The Statesmen All Drew Four Days' Pay.

LANSING, Aug. 8.-The closing scenes of the special session at noon today were entirely devoid of special interest. Speaker Wachtel left the city Saturday evening, and Representative Ferguson of lugham occupied the chair. The only members responding to the roll call in the house were Representatives Ferguson, L. S. Johnson, Spencer and S. P.

In the senate Senators Tayton Tayton, Czar Strong, Clerks Murphy and Jue Emory with two messenger boys were the only persons present when its last breath was unwept.

The squawbuck senate is dead beyoud recall and the popular verdict will be that sithough the constitutional limitation prevents suicide being as-signed as the cause of its own death, its attempt will be a legacy to the demo-erat party which it won't recover from in a score of years.

#### Glad to Get Away.

The democratic members shook the dust of the city fame their feet as early as possible and ever Governor Winans reversed the order of migration and with his private e-cretary hied to the seclusion of his Hamburg farm to ruminate over the lost cause. It is likely that he will not be slow to discover that, notwithstanding Danny Campau and Franky Hosford have fallen outside the breastworks, the event has not diminished but increased irst impulse was not favorable to calling a special session, and his own investigation but strengthened his conviction, but when Campau came out he yielded his own convictions and yielded the seductive arguments of the

jaunty chairman. The result from a democratic standpoint has been an overwheiming dis-The strongest thing of all, however, is the claim of democrats that the Brown bill was theirs, and to them belongs the credit of a fair, just non-partisan measure. The fact is that the real democratic bill has not and never will see the light of day, but had the democrats been able to command seventeen votes in the senate it would have been passed unless the re-publicans could have by parliamentary skill averted its passage until too late to give it in m diate effect. Paid Off an Old Score.

The explanation of Sepator Holcomb's defection is given out as a desire on his part to pay off old scores and show proper resentment for the him during the session of '91.

Holcomb's business affairs were in very bad shape, and did he not give them his present attention he was likely to go to the wall. On this account he expressed his purpose to rein the way of all the proposed partisan legislation, and it was agreed that if he would consent to remain in his seat he hould have all the financial assistance he needed. This agreement was only partially fulfilled, resulting in a heavy mancial loss to him, and the special session gave him an unexpected opportunity to "even up" and punish the star actors in the bad faith tragedy,

which he improved with alacrity. The incident of Chairman Campau ordering his team to Lansing by ex-pression Saturday in order to exhibit it upon the streets of Lansing on Sunexpecting the session to continue into the present week speaks volumes and explains more than any other explanation can how little be knew of the real situation and what the purposes and expectations of the demperacy were with reference to the charactor of the bill.

### Danny Paid the Freight,

Campau took the mid-afternoon an to Detroit and his team went back as it came by express the same evening, and the experience cost him the snug sum of \$62. An examination of the stub boards of b th the house and senate records the fact that there were present in the house members, clerks and employes 105. They were each paid for four days' attendance, and with milesge allowed amounted to \$1,341.10. The total attendance in e nate was fifty-three, and the amount disbursed for their comfort was \$1.876.95, making a total of \$5,218.05 made necessary by the blundering, par-

lature in thirty-six years.
It is not probable that the state of Michigan will ever look upon their like

### LINEMAN ELECTROCUTED.

Horrible Death of Newton Talbot at Port Huron.

Pour Henoy, Aug. 8 .- Newton Talbot, a lineman employed by the City Electric company, was almost instantly killed at 9 o'clock this morning. He was working on the trolley wire at the time and in some way came in contact with a gny wire. He was rescued almost instantly, but he did not live. The

### Went Uncalled.

VARSAR, Aug. 8 .- Thomas McPherson, a farmer, came to Vassar, purchased an nunce of laudanum and in a joking manner asked some of his



SHORT WORK OF IT sequaintances if there was enough to kill him. Friday evening he took the dose. He died Saturday night. He was about fifty years old and an old settler. No reason can be assigned for his act except domestic trouble. He left a wide and several grown sons and dementers. and daughters.

## MILITARY MATTERS.

Officers Appointed-Instructions to Com-

pany Commanders. LANSING, Aug. 8 .- Capt. William H. Corbusien, amistant surgeon United States army, has reported to Governor Winana by the war department, and he has been appointed acting general aspector of the medical dedartment of the state troops on the staff of the comander-in-chief. General order No. 12, issued today by

the military department, calls the at-tention of company officers in com-mand to the requirements of para-graph No. 103, rules and regulations, which provides for 1,000 rounds of ball cartridges to be kept constantly on hand. Company commanders are in-structed to forward a copy of their monthly roll to the adjutant general's office at once, if not already done. All mounted officers will wear top boots or black leggins when on mounted duty.

### BIG BOATS BOUGHT.

Cleveland Capitalists Secure the Alpeni and Mackinac.

DETROIT, Aug. 8 .- One of the largest and most important vessel deals ever made on the great lakes was made here made on the great lakes was made here Saturday, but the fact did not become public until today. The Detroit & Cleveland Steam Navigation company sold to a party of Cleveland capitalists the passenger steamers, City of Alpena and City of Mackinac, which will be also controlled to the controlled to th be placed on the route between Buffalo and Cleveland. The company will build two boats to replace the old ones which will be the finest passenger steamers on the lakes. The two will cost at least \$500,000. The price paid for the Alpena and Mackinac is understood to be \$275,000.

#### Articles Filed.

Lansing, Aug. 8.—The following cor-porations have filed articles of associaion with the secretary of state the

past week: Sun association, Detroit, \$5,000; Lake Harbor Railroad company, Muskegon, \$50,000; Romulus Knitting mills, Romulus, \$5,000; J. C. Herkner Jewelry company, Grand Rapids, \$50,000; Sag-naw Milling company, Saginaw, \$10,000; Current History Publishing company, Detroit, \$25,000; Daly Manufacturing company, Detroit, capital decreased from \$50,000 to \$20,000; Cruntz Manufacturing company, Bay City, capital increased from \$10,000 to \$50,000 United States Optical company, De-troit, capital increased from \$25,000 to

#### Drowned at Ada.

ADA, Aug. 8.—Yesterday about 4 p. m. John Van Buren, while bathing in Grand river about two and one-half miles below this place, was drowned by getting beyond his depth. His comwas 19 years old and was taken from the Coldwater school by Charles Craw-fard. He had no known relatives. Postmaster Washburn is dangerously

Crowds at Devil's Lake. Hupson, Aug. 8 .- Devil's lake did s rushing business yesterday, there being there some 3 000 excursionists from

Cincinnati, Battle Creek, Toledo and

### Brakeman Loses a Leg.

SAGINAW, Aug. 8-Allen McAllen, a brakeman on the Flint & Pere Mar-quette, who had his foot crushed at Monroe, was brought here and this morning it was found necessary to am-

## putate the member.

Peninsular Paragraphs. Bertha Straubie, the 17-year-old girl who disappeared from Manistee, leaving a note stating that she was going to join the choirs angene be-had too much vinegar in his composi-had too much vinegar in his composition, has turned up all right. She changed her mind about death after she wrote the note, she says, and wandered off into the woods to be miserable in the society of the whisper-ing pines. She lived on berries for more than a week. Then the "stick" left her throat and she returned home.

The army of nimble-fingered, sharpwitted but sometimes profane and irreverent toilers, who used to put the Detroit Free Press in type, has been displaced by sixteen typesetting machines. Machine composition is more expensive than hand composition, but muchines don't "kick" for "rings" and "fat" or get drunk or swear or "play" the "bank." Neither can they make sense from nonsense or set Chinese and Sanserit "copy." They can't set small-caps or italic, either.

Abec C. Dunbar has joined the Mormon church, and this is what all Jackson is talking about. He recently married a young Utah lady who has twenty sisters and whose father is a leader in the ceurch. He used to be a Baptist, but studying the doctrines of the western church he was captivated with them, barring the disagreeable attachment of polygamy.

The body of the unknown man that jumped to glory from a bridge at Saginaw has been identified as that of Rica, 1; Corrinne Finney, 2; Alice D, 3; Joseph McConnell, a section man who i time, 1:30.

was discharged for carelessly causing a week of five cars near Alger a few weeks ago. He thought about the matter until his head was turned. His matter until his head was turned. His matter until his head was turned. His matter until his head was turned.

causes considerable surprise at his during the squawbuck pow-wow, but emistree. he was whipsawed, or something—and the pacer was expressed back to De-troit without ever touching Lansing soil. And thereby hangs a tale - a long

Edward Duffy says murderers are better fellows than robbers. Duffy is the prison inspector from Ann Arbor and he has made the thing a study. He thinks murder is always impassioned and done when men are not themselves. Robbery is planned, cool-headed, carefully executed villainy.

Mayor Brooks of Jackson is boiling hot because it was said the engineer o the water works told somebody else that he (the engineer) was told by the mayor that he ought to recommen the Holly engine, because "they al-

Maggie Baker shut one eye, looked through the peep sight and sent a bul-let whizzing so close to a burgiar's that he threw up both hands and went to jail. Burglars headed toward Mus-kegon had better look up her address in the directory and he wise.

That handy letter writer and com-Dat handy inter writer and com-posers' manual, G. Cleveland of Gray viables, has written a letter to the Hastings democratic cinb in which he modestly states that the club's con-suming desire to have him elected is a wooderful sign of intelligence.

Fordinand Plineki, a well-to-do farm

er, aged about 54 years and reading in the town of Moltke in Presque law county, fell off a load of grain in the harvest field, and the wazon passed over him. He only hved fifteen min-

utes after the accident. Fr. Kalasinki, the converted Catholic priest, raised a \$3,000 debt with a beer picture at Detroit Sunday. He blew his own dust freely, and the politicians who desired to stand in with the Poles

George L. Yaple went over to Downg sac and secured a few more feathers with which he is trying so hard to build a demo-populite nest. He told his usual tale about the bad way the country was being run.

A son of George Todd has lost four square inches of scalp by the surgeon's knife. He lives at Morene: and the skull was trephined to relieve brain pressure and epileptic fits. He is only years old.

The Grand Trunk men are all being vaccinated at the company's expense against the possible spread of disease contracted from the hordes of emigrants which the company handles.

J. H. Telford is dying from the effect of a sunstroke received two years ago. He lives at Jackson. He has been un-conscious two weeks, going down one of those terrible July days. May Nichole fainted when it was thought the Bay View auditorium was on fire the other night. It is feared her mind will be effected by the fright

she received. Charles H. Plummer of Saginaw, is in a Florida company which has bought 150,000,000 feet of cypress and 200,000,-

000 feet of yellow pine along the St. Marks river. Matthew D. North of Vassar is dead. He was one of the pioneers of Tuscola county, coming to Vassar in 1853.

The corner stone of the Hotel Arlington has been laid at Benton Harbor. The building will cost \$75,000. Detroit horse-owners are brought to time with a short turn by the human

Mrs. George Dorn is in jail at Home for marrying too much.

#### AMERICUS VESPUSCIUS Finds a Champion in John Thatcher of New York.

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 7 .- John Boyd Thatcher, commissioner from New York state to the World's columbian exposition said tonight "I think a tribute might appropriately be paid to Americus Vespuscius by opening the exposition on the fifth day of May, 1863. The law now provides that the buildings of the exposition shall be formally dedicated on the twenty-first day of October, 1892, thus commemor

ating the discovery of the new world by Columbus on the exact occurrence of its 400th anniversary. This day, October 21, may be called the birth day of America.

"On the fifth day of May, in the year 1405, there was printed a little book which first suggested that the newly discovered Squarta Parsorbis should be given the name of America, and thereupon baptised the fourth part of the world "America," after the Flor-entine discoverer, Americas Vepuscius-This book was published on the seventh of the kalands of May, 1507 (April 25), which is equivalent to the fifth day of May, as corrected by the Gregorian cal-endar. This day, the fifth of May, is the christening or baptismal day of America. Historical research has ac-quainted Americus Vespuscius of the

charge himself giving his name to the "The best historians of today believe he discovered the continent. thus justifying somewhat, if not entirely, the name which the St. Die book bestowed

upon it. "Congress does not fix the exact date or the time of the opening of the expo-sition. It is simply provided that the exposition shall be open to visitors not

later than May 1.
"Congress at the December session can provide for this opening. May 5 also falls on Friday, which is another singular coincidence, as it was Friday that Columbus set sail from Palos, Friday he first saw the land of the new world, Friday he first reached Palos on his return and the 400th anniversary of the discovery falls on Friday.

Hawthorne Runners. Chicago, Aug. 8.—There was a large attendance at Hawthorne today, and

capital racing. Summaries: First race, maiden 2-year-olds, fiveeighths of a mile-Gorem won, Trom-peur second, Beautiful Belia third;

Second, one mile and a sixteenth, handicap—Mary Sue won, State of Texas second, Experience third; time,

1:54].
Third, three-quarters of a mile-Sunshine Whisky won, Reading sec-ond, Ethel third; time, 1:18. Fourth, 2-year-olds, five-eighths of a mile—Deception won, Hawthorne second, Verdant third; time, 1:05. Fifth, one mile—Fannie S won, My Luck second, Harry Jenkins third; time, 1:47}.

Sr. PAUL, Aug. 8.—The Press club event was the feature of today's rac-

Fourth, seven-eighths mile - Safe Home. 1; London Smoke, 2; Fred Kuox, 3; time, 138;.
Fifth, one mile, gentlemen riders—
Dwyer, 1; Carns, 2; Red Fox, 3; time,

An Odd Place to Store Plander. Much annoyance is frequently occasioned by persons getting keys for the purpose of viewing unoccupied houses and failing to return them. In this connection I may mention an incident that happened a year or two ago. A well dressed gestierran called at our office for the key of a house to look over it. He neglected to return the key, however, and the house was subsequently let to

another party. About twelve months afterward, while repairing a drain, the floor of one of the rooms had to be removed, when a 1 lb. Cakes. quantity of watches, rings and other jewelery was found concealed under the joists. These were proved to be the proceeds of a burglary at a jeweler's premtees. The man who had got the key of the house was known to the police as a notorious burglar, and at the time had been suspected of the robbery, but was allowed to escape from want of sufficient evidence to convict him. As he was kept shadowed by the police he had con-

Setting Type with Both Hoods. A foreman of a composing room has conceived the idea of using both hands

in picking up and setting the types in the stick. Ever since the composing stick was known the left hand has held the stick while the thumb pressed each successive type into place against the pieces already in line. A one armed compositor came to the foreman's room, and with a single hand set almost as much type as his fellow laborers did

with two. worked out two inventions, by which he proposes to use both hands at once. The first is a little mechanical device for taking the place of the thumb, and the second is an attachment by which the stick can be put in a convenient position for receiving the type without being in the way of any subsequent operations.

Having got so far, the foreman found

that his next step was to train the left hand. This was by no means easy, but after patience and practice a consider-able degree of proficiency was attained, and he added 60 per cent. to his former capacity. He believes a still further advance is practicable, but is confident that any compositor by the use of his inventions will be able to add at least 50 per cent, to his speed.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

A Monster Volcano. Hawaii is chiefly famous for its volcanoes. Kilauea, the largest active volcano in the world, lies on the side of the mountain Mauna Loa at an elevation of 4,000 feet. We usually think of a volcano as a cone, but Kilauea is rather a great sunken pit in the midst of a vast desolate plain, which slopes up gently to the summit of the mountain. It is a pit of no less than nine miles in circumference and the area of its lowest level is six square miles. The level varies, but it is at present 600 feet below the surrounding country, and is reached by a STOREK— steep descent down the sheer face of a SE E. precipice which extends right around

the crater and, as it were, walls it in. Within the crater, toward its southern end, is an inner crater with one or more lakes of fire, called Halemaumau, or House of Everlasting Burnings, which constitute the true chimney of the volcano. Here Kilauea exhibits its cease-less activity.—Asiatic Quarterly.

Dear young lady, if you have a dog and your dog accompanies you on the street you must dress in harmony with your dog. If your dog is an Irish setter you must either wear brown or there must be an abundance of golden brown "tones" conspicuous in your costume. If your heart is wrapped up on a bowlegged white bull terrier you must enswathe your body in white, but a little green is allowable for "cooling effect;" but whether the effect is to be upon you, the public or the dog we are not in If your affections are engrossed by a yel-low dog you must harmonize with him, even if you have to bleach your hair to do it. This is de regle, also comme il faut and fin de siecle.-Seattle Telegraph.

#### West Virginia Mountaineers.

There is probably nowhere in the United States an odder people than the mountaineers in the remote districts of West Virginia. The "stoneboat" of the quarry is often substituted for a wheeled vehicle in drawing loads down the mountains, and the people are so un-familiar with the amenities of civilized life as to be ignorant of many words in common use among better educated country folks. "Mr. Rosser's critter comp'ny" was the mountaineer's phrase for General Rosser's cavalry.—New York Sun.

To Keep a Dead Fowl Quiet. An apparatus to prevent a dead fowl from flying has been patented by a San Francisco lady. It is a clamp which se-cures the fowl to the dish while you are trying to carve it. Inexperienced carvers occasionally find it difficult to keep the dead bird from flying into a neighbor's

### lap.-Exchange.

Advertisement Writing. Advertisement writing is becoming a regular branch of literature in the United States. Some of the first class writers command salaries of \$10,000 a year, and now young men are regularly training for the work and going to college in preparation.—Chicago Herald.

### Marriage Licenses.

The following is a list of the marriage Records issued since last published, with the names, residences (when outside the city) and ages of the parties:

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